

# 2025 STATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS DEVILS LAKE FIREBIRDS



Photo Courtesy of Sarah Elfman

## 2026 CITY CALENDAR



**THUR**



**TUE**

**MON**

WED

FRI



THUR

Residential curbside recycling is no longer available for City residents. Recyclables may be taken to the specially marked bins at the Recycling Center at 205 2nd St NE.

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|               | Date      |
|---------------|-----------|
| <b>Zone 1</b> | June 1st  |
| <b>Zone 2</b> | June 8th  |
| <b>Zone 3</b> | June 15th |

**Zone 3**      June 15th



Acceptable items include carpet, mattresses, furniture, construction debris, tires (extra charge), appliances (\$15 free fee), doors and windows.



Acceptable items at the landfill include carpet, mattresses, furniture, construction debris, tires (extra charge), appliances (\$15 freon fee), doors and windows.



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## STREET SWEEPING SCHEDULE

**Zone 1** Streets - 2nd & 4th Thu, 8 am - 5 pm  
Avenues - 2nd & 4th Fri, 8 am - 5 pm

**Zone 2** Streets - 1st & 3rd Thu, 8 am - 5 pm  
Avenues - 1st & 3rd Fri, 8 am - 5 pm

**Zone 3** Streets - 1st & 3rd Tue, 8 am - 5 pm  
Avenues - 1st & 3rd Wed, 8 am - 5 pm

**Zone 4** Streets - 2nd & 4th Tue, 8 am - 5 pm  
Avenues - 2nd & 4th Wed, 8 am - 5 pm

**Zone 5** Streets & Avenues - Mon & Fri, 2 am - 7 am

**Zone 6** Streets & Avenues - 1st & 3rd Mon, 7 am - 12

## DOWNTOWN PUBLIC PARKING LOTS

### STREET SWEEPING AND SNOW REMOVAL

Public parking lots in the downtown area are scheduled for sweeping or snow removal according to the days listed below. To avoid a ticket, do not park in lots on these days from 2 AM to 7 AM. This may be adjusted in the Spring of 2026.

### Mondays

- Last Hand Lot (4th St NE, west of St. Joseph's Church)
- Old Journal Lot (4th Ave NE, east of Great Northern Building)
- Town Hall Lot (5th St NE/5th Ave NE)
- Ray's Standard Lot (3rd St NE/4th Ave NE)

### Fridays

- Chautauqua Lot (5th St NE/5th Ave NE)
- VFW Lot (Railroad Ave NE, west of VFW)
- Farmers Union Lot (5th St NE/3rd Ave NE)
- Firestone Lot (3rd St NE/5th Ave NE)

## DOWNTOWN DISTRICT SNOW REMOVAL

Following a winter storm, the downtown area will be cleaned the first night following the clearing of priority routes. To accommodate snow removal, no parking is allowed downtown during the following times:

2 AM to 7 AM, Monday - Saturday, except Holidays

To avoid being ticketed, remove vehicles from the downtown streets and avenues during these times for snow removal.

**Zone 6** Streets & Avenues - 1st & 3rd Mon, 7 am - 12



## DOWNTOWN PUBLIC PARKING LOTS STREET SWEEPING AND SNOW REMOVAL

- Chautauqua Lot (5th St NE/5th Ave NE)
- VFW Lot (Railroad Ave NE, west of VFW)
- Farmers Union Lot (5th St NE/3rd Ave NE)
- Firestone Lot (3rd St NE/5th Ave NE)



## DOWNTOWN DISTRICT SNOW REMOVAL

To avoid being ticketed, remove vehicles from the downtown streets and avenues during these times for snow removal.

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# CITY SNOW REMOVAL OPERATIONS

The City of Devils Lake snow removal operations are done in two modes: Storm Operation and Routine Maintenance Mode.

## STORM OPERATION MODE

- Limited city crews may work during storm to keep priority routes passable.
- Full city crews work after storm clearing priority routes and then residential areas.
- Downtown area will be cleaned the first night following clearing of priority roads.
- When priority roads are open, crews will begin plowing in residential areas, generally in daylight hours due to safety concerns.
- If residential streets are impassable, crews will work to open residential streets PRIOR to cleaning downtown.
- Alleys cleaned based on garbage pickup routes; downtown cleaned first.
- Snow gates are not effective with deep snow and may not be used.
- Residents asked to not park on streets/avenues where they will hinder City snow removal efforts.
- Motorists asked to limit travel so snow removal can progress.

## FIRE HYDRANTS AND MAILBOXES

- Resident's responsibility to remove snow around mailboxes.
- Residents are asked to clear snow from fire hydrants in their area.
- City crews will work to clear these areas as time allows during maintenance periods.

## SIDEWALK

- Residents are required to clear their sidewalk of snow or ice within 24 hours of a snow event; if not cleared, the City or its contractor may remove the snow and bill the property owner.
- Residents should notify the City of uncleared sidewalks so problems can be corrected.

## ROUTINE MAINTENANCE MODE

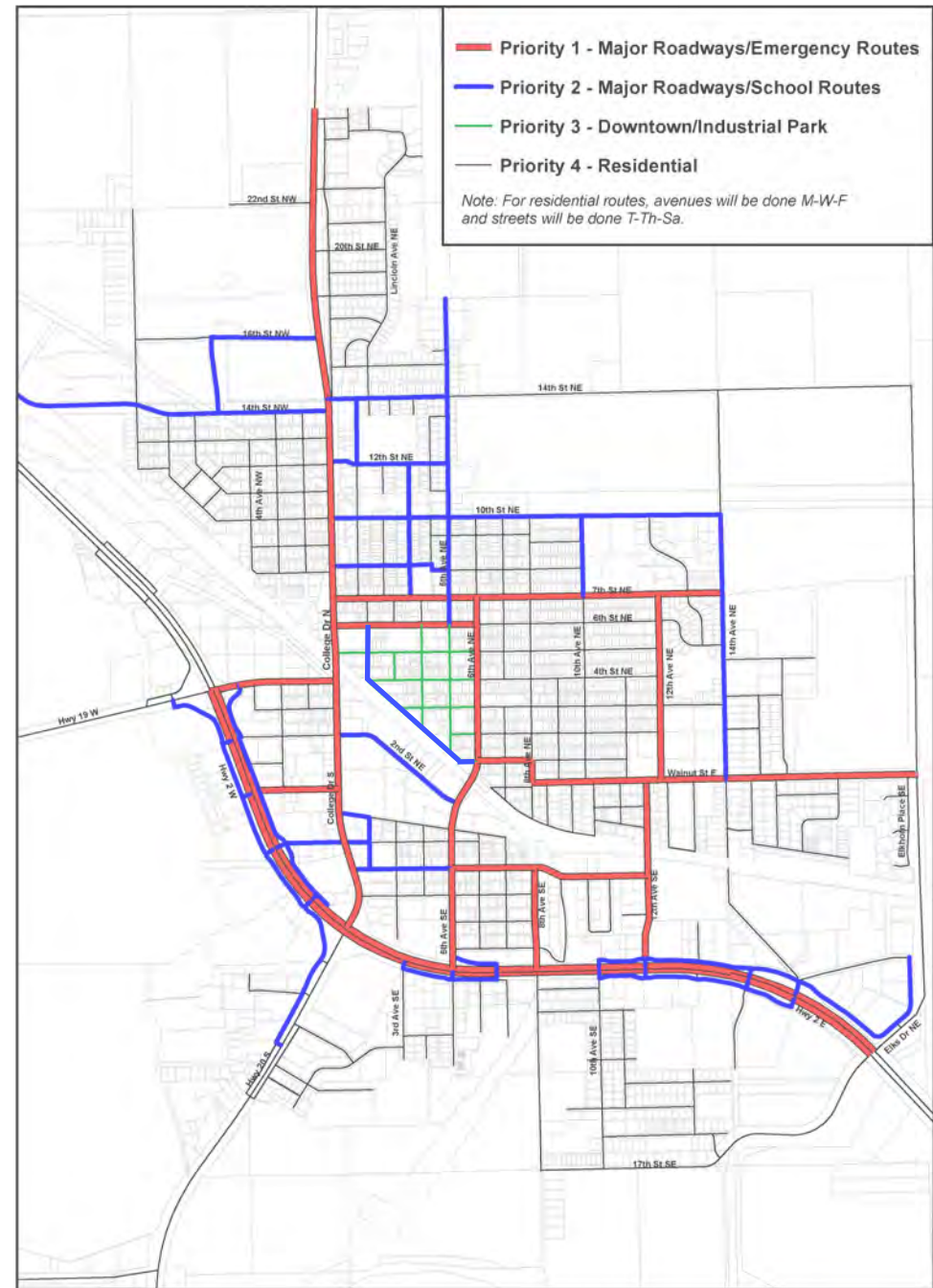
- Remove compacted snow, widening of roads, scheduled snow removal.
- Residential streets:** NO PARKING 8 AM - 5 PM Tue, Thu, Sat.
- Residential avenues:** NO PARKING 8 AM - 5 PM Mon, Wed, Fri.
- Downtown district:** NO PARKING 2 AM - 7 AM except Sundays and holidays.
- Downtown parking lots:** NO PARKING Mondays or Friday, 2 AM - 7 AM, on the appropriate day for each parking lot.

## **PARKING TICKET**

**Ticketing will occur for failure to remove your vehicle from streets, avenues and parking lots for snow removal maintenance.**

## PROPERTY OWNER AND CONTRACTOR SNOW REMOVAL

- All snow removed from sidewalks or driveways in residential areas must be stored on the boulevard, homeowner's property or hauled away.
- Residents, business owners and contractors are reminded it is illegal to deposit, place, move or push snow and leave on streets, alleys or highway rights of way within the City.
- Violations may result in the City removing snow and billing property owner according to the City's Rates and Fees.
- Be courteous and do not push snow onto your neighbor's property or boulevard without their permission.





# INFORMATION FOR PROPER DISPOSAL OF MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

**APPLIANCES** may be disposed of at the landfill or during special pickup for residential accounts. Call 662-7600, ext 1, to schedule an appointment to go to the landfill. Check the Special Pickup map in this calendar to see when it takes place in your area. There is an additional \$15 charge for appliances with freon.

**ASBESTOS** siding, flooring, or insulation products can be disposed of by making special arrangements with the Sanitation Department at 662-7624.

**BATTERIES** in small household quantities may be placed in your regular garbage. Auto batteries may be recycled by taking to HE Everson on College Dr S or where you buy your new battery.

**CELL PHONES** need to be disposed of in your regular garbage.

**COMPUTER MONITORS** are not allowed with special pickups and need to be discarded with your regular garbage. If the monitor does not fit in your garbage can, tape a special blue City bag around it and put out with your regular garbage.

**CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS** from household projects may be taken to the landfill by calling 662-7600, ext 1, to make an appointment for 9:00 am or 1:00 pm, Monday-Friday.

**ELECTRONIC ITEMS** such as games, tablets, or iPads are not allowed in the special pickups and must be disposed of in your regular garbage.

**LIGHT BULBS** may be put in your regular garbage, but please put in a container to prevent injury from broken glass. If you have large amounts to dispose of, please contact the Sanitation Department at 662-7624.

**MICROWAVES** are not allowed in special pickups but can be disposed of in your regular garbage. If the microwave does not fit in your garbage can, tape a special blue City bag around it and set out with your regular garbage.

**MOTOR OIL** can be recycled by dumping in the specially marked tank at the recycling center at 205 2<sup>nd</sup> St NE during regular working hours.

**PAINT** cans are allowed in your regular garbage as long as cans are empty or paint is dried out. Use sand or kitty litter to soak up the paint and dry it out. To empty a spray can, spray contents into a cardboard box.

**PRESCRIPTIONS** left over or outdated may be taken to a pharmacy for disposal or dropped in the specially marked box in the lobby of the Law Enforcement Center.

**TELEVISIONS** need to be disposed of with your regular garbage. Tape a special blue City garbage bag around the TV and place it out for pickup with your regular garbage.

**TIRES** can be taken to the landfill for disposal or put out for pickup during the spring or fall special pickup. There is a charge for tire disposal: \$1.50 for car tires, \$5.00 for truck tires and \$10.00 for tractor tires.



## PERMITS REQUIRED



Anyone wishing to temporarily block a public right of way such as a street, alley or parking spaces needs to contact the City Engineering Office at 662-7600, ext 2, to secure a no-cost permit.

Permits are required prior to replacement of sidewalks or curb and gutter. Call the Engineering Department at 662-7600, ext 2, to get more information on sidewalk permits.



Call City Office at 662-7600, ext 3, to get a building permit for your construction project. Permits are required for fences or decks, siding or egress windows, structural changes or remodeling, new construction, additions or demolitions.

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### CITY PHONE NUMBERS....


|                       |                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Accounting            | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Addressing            | 662-7600, ext 3 |
| Airport               | 662-5833        |
| Assessing             | 662-7600, ext 3 |
| Auditing              | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Building inspections  | 662-7600, ext 3 |
| Building permits      | 662-7600, ext 3 |
| Cemetery              | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Chamber of Commerce   | 662-4903        |
| City Commission       | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Economic Development  | 662-4933        |
| Engineering           | 662-7600, ext 2 |
| Fire Department       | 662-3913        |
| Garbage collection    | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Lake Region Ambulance | 662-8832        |
| Landfill appointment  | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Law Enforcement       | 662-0700        |
| Library               | 662-2220        |
| Mapping               | 662-7600, ext 2 |
| Park Board            | 662-8243        |
| Planning/Zoning       | 662-7600, ext 2 |
| Police Department     | 662-0712        |
| Property information  | 662-7600, ext 3 |
| Property value        | 662-7600, ext 3 |
| Sewer service         | 662-7623        |
| Sidewalks             | 662-7600, ext 2 |
| Snow removal          | 662-7605        |
| Special assessments   | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Street repair         | 662-7605        |
| Subdivisions          | 662-7600, ext 2 |
| Tourism               | 662-4957        |
| Utility billing       | 662-7600, ext 1 |
| Water service         | 662-7623        |

# JANUARY 2026

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY  |
|---|--|--|-----------|--|---|---|
| <p>A number of circumstances including lack of markets and an aging recycling truck came in to play and resulted in the end of the City's curbside recycling program. Recyclable materials can still be dropped off at the Recycling Center at 205 2<sup>nd</sup> St NE.</p>  |  |  |           | <p>1</p> <p>No gbg pickup</p> <p><b>HOLIDAY</b><br/>NEW YEAR'S DAY</p> | <p>2</p> <p>Thu &amp; Fri<br/>gbg picked up</p> | <p>3</p>  |
| <p>4</p>  | <p>5</p> <p>5:30 pm City Co mtg</p>                                      | <p>6</p>   | <p>7</p>  | <p>8</p>   | <p>9</p>  | <p>10</p>   |
| <p><b>CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP BEGINS JANUARY 5 AND CONTINUES UNTIL ALL ARE PICKED UP.</b><br/><b>TREES ARE PICKED UP SEPARATELY FROM YOUR GARBAGE.</b></p>    |  |  |           |  |   |   |
| <p>11</p>   | <p>12</p>  | <p>13</p>  | <p>14</p> | <p>15</p>  | <p>16</p>                                       | <p>17</p>   |
| <p>18</p>   | <p>19</p> <p>No gbg pickup</p> <p><b>HOLIDAY</b><br/>M L KING JR DAY</p> | <p>20</p> <p>5:30 pm City Co mtg<br/>Mon &amp; Tue<br/>gbg picked up</p> | <p>21</p> | <p>22</p>  | <p>23</p>                                       | <p>24</p>   |
| <p>25</p>   | <p>26</p>  | <p>27</p>  | <p>28</p> | <p>29</p>  | <p>30</p>                                       | <p>31</p>   |
|   |  |  |           |  |   | <p> Like us on<br/>Facebook at<br/>City of Devils Lake-<br/>Public Works</p> |



# FEBRUARY 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY  |
|--------|--|--|-----------|----------|--------|---|
| 1      | 2<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg                       | 3  | 4         | 5        | 6      | 7   |
| 8      | 9  | 10   | 11        | 12       | 13     | 14  |
| 15     | 16<br>No gbg pick up                           | 17<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg<br>Mon & Tues<br>gbg picked up | 18        | 19       | 20     | 21<br> |
| 22     | 23<br><b>HOLIDAY</b><br><b>PRESIDENT'S DAY</b> | 24   | 25        | 26       | 27     | 28  |

## **PERSONS 65 OR OLDER, DISABLED, OR DISABLED VETERANS**

Submit applications for real estate tax credit to City Office by March 31. Call Rob Johnson at 662-7600, ext 2 to get more information on qualifications for the credit.



Garbage not placed in your can will not be picked up. If you have extra garbage, special blue City bags are available at Leever's, Wal Mart or CityOffice. Place beside your regular garbage can.

# MARCH 2026



| SUNDAY | MONDAY                    | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--------|---------------------------|---|---|----------|--------|----------|
| 1      | 2<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg  | 3   | 4   | 5        | 6      | 7        |
| 8      | 9                         | 10  | 11  | 12       | 13     | 14       |
| 15     | 16<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg | 17<br> | 18  | 19       | 20     | 21       |
| 22     | 23                        | 24  | 25  | 26       | 27     | 28       |
| 29     | 30                        | 31  |  <p>\$125 vouchers are available at the Auditing Department to be used toward local purchase of a tree for the boulevard with the condition homeowners agree to maintain the tree. Call 662-7600, ext 1 for more information.</p> |          |        |          |



# APRIL 2026

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY   | SATURDAY |
|---|--|---------|-----------|----------|--|----------|
|  | Call City Office at 662-7600, ext 2 for more information on City sharing in the cost of your sidewalk replacement. |         | 1         | 2        | 3  | 4        |
|   |  |         |           |          | No gbg pick up   |          |
| 5   | 6  | 7       | 8         | 9        | 10   | 11       |
|  | 5:30 pm City Co mtg<br>Fri & Mon<br>gbg picked up  |         |           |          | <u>HOLIDAY</u><br>GOOD FRIDAY  |          |
| 12  | 13   | 14      | 15        | 16       | 17   | 18       |
| 19  | 20   | 21      | 22        | 23       | 24   | 25       |
|   | 5:30 pm City Co mtg  |         |           |          |  |          |
| 26  | 27   | 28      | 29        | 30       | <a href="http://www.dvlnd.com">www.dvlnd.com</a><br>Check the City's web page for updates on City projects, fees and rates, job openings, meeting dates, permits and more!!!  |          |
|   |  |         |           |          |  |          |

# MAY 2026

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY | SATURDAY                         |
|---|---|--|-----------|---|--------|----------------------------------|
| 26  | 27  | 28   | 29        | 30  | 1      | 2                                |
| <p>Cemetery hours are 7 am to 11 pm. Pets are not allowed in the cemetery. Flowers may be placed in the cemetery 5 days prior to Memorial Day and must be removed by the 2nd Monday following Memorial Day.</p> |   |  |           | <p>Cemetery information regarding spaces, costs, grave locations or other questions can be directed to 662-7600, ext 1.</p> |        |                                  |
| 3   | 4   | 5  | 6         | 7   | 8      | 9                                |
|   | 5:30 pm City Co mtg   |  |           |   |        | 9:00 am-1:00 pm<br>Landfill open |
| 10  | 11  | 12   | 13        | 14  | 15     | 16                               |
|    |   |  |           |   |        |                                  |
| 17  | 18  | 19   | 20        | 21  | 22     | 23                               |
|   | 5:30 pm City Co mtg   |  |           |   |        |                                  |
|   | <p>Free landfill dumping for City residents by appointment<br/>9:00 am or 1:00 pm, Monday-Friday</p>  |  |           |   |        |                                  |
| 24  | 25  | 26   | 27        | 28  | 29     | 30                               |
|   | No gbg pick up  | Mon & Tue<br>gbg picked up   |           |   |        |                                  |
| 31  | <p>Free landfill dumping for City residents by appointment<br/>9:00 am or 1:00 pm, Tuesday-Friday</p> |  |           |   |        |                                  |
|   | <b>HOLIDAY</b><br><b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>   |  |           |   |        |                                  |



# JUNE 2026

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY | SATURDAY  |
|---|--|---------|-----------|---|--------|---|
| 31  | 1<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg<br><br><b>ZONE 1<br/>SPECIAL PICKUP</b>   | 2       | 3         | 4   | 5      | 6   |
| 7   | 8<br>Remove cemetery<br>flowers by today<br><br><b>ZONE 2<br/>SPECIAL PICKUP</b>   | 9       | 10        | 11  | 12     | 13<br>9:00 am-1:00 pm<br>Landfill open  |
| 14  | 15<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg<br><br><br><b>ZONE 3<br/>SPECIAL PICKUP</b> | 16      | 17        | 18  | 19     | 20  |
| 21  | 22   | 23      | 24        | 25  | 26     | 27  |
|  | 28   | 29      | 30        | <p>Depending on mosquito counts, the City contracts for aerial spraying around the 4th of July holiday and Labor Day. The City ground sprays for mosquitos when weather conditions allow and dispenses larvicide briquette at breeding sites.</p> |        |   |
|   |  |         |           |   |        |  |

# JULY 2026

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY                      | SATURDAY   |
|---|--------|--|-----------|----------|-----------------------------|--|
|  |        |  | 1         | 2        | 3<br>No gbg pick up         | 4<br> |
|   | 5      | 6<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg<br>Fri & Mon<br>gbg picked up | 7         | 8        | 9<br>HOLIDAY<br>4TH OF JULY | 10<br>11<br>9:00 am-1:00 pm<br>Landfill open   |
|   | 12     | 13   | 14        | 15       | 16                          | 17   |
|   | 19     | 20<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg                              | 21        | 22       | 23                          | 24   |
|   | 26     | 27   | 28        | 29       | 30                          | 31   |
|   |        |  |           |          |                             | 1  |



# AUGUST 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY                    | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY                              |
|--------|---------------------------|--|-----------|----------|--------|---------------------------------------|
| 2      | 3<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg  | 4  | 5         | 6        | 7      | 1                                     |
|        |                           |  |           |          |        | 8<br>9:00 am-1:00 pm<br>Landfill open |
| 9      | 10                        | 11   | 12        | 13       | 14     | 15                                    |
| 16     | 17<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg | 18   | 19        | 20       | 21     | 22                                    |
| 23     | 24                        | 25   | 26        | 27       | 28     | 29                                    |
| 30     | 31                        |  <p><b><u>ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT PLANTING<br/>A GARDEN NEXT YEAR???</u></b></p> <p><i>The City has an annual program for gardeners to lease a garden spot for the summer. Call 662-7600, ext 2 for more information on reserving a garden spot.</i></p> |           |          |        |                                       |

# SEPTEMBER 2026

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY | SATURDAY                         |
|---|--|--|--|---|--------|----------------------------------|
|  | <p>Don't pour fat, oil or grease in your drain!!<br/>It will plug it up!!!</p> | 1  | 2  | 3   | 4      | 5                                |
|   |  |  |  |   |        |                                  |
| 6   | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10  | 11     | 12                               |
|   | No gbg pickup  | 5:30 pm City Co mtg<br>Mon & Tues<br>gbg picked up |  |   |        | 9:00 am-1:00 pm<br>Landfill open |
|   | <u>HOLIDAY</u><br>LABOR DAY  |  |  |   |        |                                  |
| 13  | 14   | 15   | 16   | 17  | 18     | 19                               |
|   |  |  |  |   |        |                                  |
| 20  | 21   | 22   | 23   | 24  | 25     | 26                               |
|   | 5:30 pm City Co mtg  |  |  |   |        |                                  |
|   |  |  |  |   |        |                                  |
| 27  | 28   | 29   | 30   | <p>City residents ONLY may take leaves and grass clippings to the Recycling Center at 205 2nd St NE for no charge. Please do not leave plastic bags or boxes. This site is available to contractors or non City residents FOR A FEE.<br/>Call 662-7600, ext 1 for more information.</p> |        |                                  |
|   |  |  |  |   |        |                                  |

# OCTOBER 2026


| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY  |
|---|--|---------|-----------|----------|--------|---|
| <div>27</div>  | <p>Sump pumps may be discharged into yards or gutters as long as they don't obstruct pedestrian traffic. Pumps may discharge into sanitary sewers during the winter.</p> |         |           | 1        | 2      | 3   |
| 4   | 5<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg   | 6       | 7         | 8        | 9      | 10  |
| 11  | 12   | 13      | 14        | 15       | 16     | 17  |
| 18  | 19<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg  | 20      | 21        | 22       | 23     | 24  |
| 25  | 26   | 27      | 28        | 29       | 30     | 31<br> |



# NOVEMBER 2026

| SUNDAY | MONDAY                    | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY                           | SATURDAY  |
|--------|---------------------------|---|---|--|----------------------------------|---|
| 1      | 2<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg  | 3   | 4   | 5  | 6                                | 7   |
| 8      | 9                         | 10  | 11<br>No gbg pick up<br><br><u>HOLIDAY</u><br>VETERAN'S DAY | 12<br>Wed & Thu<br>gbg picked up                           | 13                               | 14  |
| 15     | 16<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg | 17  | 18  | 19   | 20                               | 21  |
| 22     | 23                        | 24  | 25  | 26<br>No gbg pick up<br><br><u>HOLIDAY</u><br>THANKSGIVING | 27<br>Thu & Fri<br>gbg picked up | 28  |
| 29     | 30                        | <p>The majority of curbside mailboxes are on City right of way. Home owners are responsible for keeping mailboxes clear from snow to ensure mail delivery. Any damage to mailboxes is also the responsibility of home owners.</p> |   |  |                                  |  |

# DECEMBER 2026

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY                                 | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY  |
|--|--|---------|-----------|---|---|---|
|  <p>Do your part to keep fire hydrants clear of snow or other obstacles. The house they save may be your own!!!</p> |  | 1       | 2         | 3   | 4   | 5   |
| 6  | 7<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg               | 8       | 9         | 10  | 11  | 12  |
| 13   | 14                                     | 15      | 16        | 17  | 18  | 19  |
| 20   | 21<br>5:30 pm City Co mtg              | 22      | 23        | 24<br>No gbg pick up  | 25<br>No gbg pick up  | 26<br> |
| 27   | 28<br>Thu & Fri & Mon<br>gbg picked up | 29      | 30        | 31<br> |  | 2   |

# CHANGES COMING TO THE CITY'S GARBAGE AND RECYCLING PROGRAMS

## WEEKLY GARBAGE PICKUP



*In the Fall of 2026 a new method of picking up garbage will be implemented using an automated garbage pickup system.*

Each household with a City utility account will be issued a new garbage can that will be picked up by a garbage truck equipped with arms that reach out, pick up the can and then dump it in the truck.

The new garbage cans will need to be placed in an accessible location three feet away from obstacles so that the arms of the truck have room to wrap around the can for dumping.

Prior to converting to this garbage collection system, there will be considerable information made available to all residents.

## ANNUAL SPECIAL PICKUP

The City's special pickup policy has changed for the new year. In 2026, there will be only one special pickup, not two as in past years. The special pickup will be during the month of June. Each residential account may put out 5 CY (about 2 pickup loads) of items for special pickup during the month of June – see calendar for the date for your special pickup. Put items out at 7:00 am where your garbage is normally picked up. Acceptable items include carpet, mattresses, furniture, construction debris, appliances (\$15 freon fee), doors and windows.



The landfill will be open by appointment at 9:00 am or 1:00 pm for free dumping the two weeks prior to special pickup. Call 662-7600, ext 1 to make an appointment.

## RECYCLING



Curbside recycling pickup was discontinued in July of 2025. Currently, recyclable materials such as tin/aluminum cans, newspaper/paper, corrugated cardboard, plastic bottles, and glass jars can be dropped off at the Recycling Center at 205 2<sup>nd</sup> St NE.

## GRASS AND LEAVES

Grass, leaves and small branches will continue to be acceptable at the Recycling Center AT 205 2<sup>nd</sup> St NE for those who are city residents.

Non residents or contractors may dump grass and leaves for a FEE.

Call 662-7600, ext 1 for more information.